Docket No. 125192,00401 PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Shigeru Nakajima et al. : Confirmation No.: 7896

Serial No. 10/597,920 : Group Art Unit: 1794

Filed: May 11, 2007 : Examiner: Bhaskar Mukhopadhyay

For: MATERIAL FOR PROCESSED FOOD FOR WEIGHT REDUCTION DIETS AND

WEIGHT REDUCTION DIETARY PROCESSED FOOD USING THEREOF

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION AND RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.121

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Response, together with the concurrently filed Petition for Extension of Time, constitutes a complete and timely reply to the Office Communication mailed March 10, 2010 in the above-identified application indicating that the Response to Non-Final Office Action filed on December 14, 2009 was considered non-responsive. Appropriate corrections have been made and Applicant believes that the Response is now compliant. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.

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Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3.

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